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Dear Dr. Kahl:

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 ("DSHEA"), Baywood International Inc. wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it is marketing a dietary supplement which bears statements of nutritional support.

The dietary supplement for which the statements are made is LDL Tab<sup>TM</sup>, which consists of beta-sitosterol and citrus pectin. The statements of nutritional support read as follows:

"Reduces fat from the foods you eat."

"studies have shown that beta-sitosterol and citrus pectin are effective in reducing dietary fat and cholesterol absorption from the foods we eat."

These statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer indicating that the claims have not been evaluated by FDA and that the product is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure, or prevent any disease. The company possesses adequate substantiation for these statements of nutritional support which renders the statements truthful and non-misleading, and thus permissible under the DSHEA.

Sincerely,

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